

How Towns Grow in the West.
It seems that very far out west there was a tribe of Indians who lived in a very secluded spot, and who were very poor. One fine morning they all started off on a horse stealing excursion, and did not return for many days. When they did, they found a first class hotel, with bigger waiters and gongs, wine and oysters, and a town where their own little lodge had been, and a town scattered all around it, with lots at two hundred dollars a foot! Enterprising people, this!

MARRIED.
On the 26th inst., near Sperryville, Va., by the Rev. T. L. Heyler, M. ALFRED PINKARD, of Fauquier, to Miss TABITHA SCOTT, of Rapahannock.

In Washington, on the 26th instant, at the residence of the bride's mother, by the Rev. Mr. F. H. H. Voss, esq., to Miss JULIA P. LECY, second daughter of the late Julius P. Lecy.

DIED.
At "Elmwood," the residence of Col. S. M. Ball, in Fairfax county, on the 20th instant, Mrs. ANNE FOOT, relict of the late Richard Foot, esq., of Prince William county, Va., aged about 70 years.

On Wednesday, the 23rd of August, at St. Julian, in Spotsylvania county, in the ninth year of her age, CATHERINE AMBLER, daughter of Francis E. and Ella A. Brooke. At his residence, in Newton county, Mo., ROBERT H. COCHRAN, formerly of Loudoun, at an advanced age. He had but a few months ago left Loudoun county to seek a home in the West.

COMMERCIAL.

THE MARKETS.

BALTIMORE, August 28.—Flour is dull; City Mills, \$5.50; Howard street and Ohio, \$5.50; 25 lbs. 6 1/2. Wheat is dull and lower; red 12 1/2; white 12 1/2 to 14 1/2. Corn is quiet; white 7 1/2; yellow 5 1/2 to 7 1/2. Whiskey is dull.

NEW YORK, August 28.—Flour is quiet; sales of 5000 barrels, State \$3.95 to \$4.15; Ohio \$5.90 to \$6.10; Southern \$5.25 to \$5.75. Wheat is quiet and quotations are nominal; Southern red 12 1/2; white 12 1/2 to 14 1/2. Corn is heavy; sales of 30000 bush; mixed at 72 1/2 to 73 1/2. Pork is firm; mess \$17.40; prime at \$15. Lard dull. Whiskey is dull at 24 to 24 1/2. Stocks higher. Va. 6 1/2; Md. 6 1/2 to 7 1/2.

ALMANAC.

1858. SUNDAY. Moon's Phase.

30 Monday... 5 36 28 D. H. M.
1 Tuesday... 5 36 27 Last q. 2 10 M.
2 Wednesday... 5 36 26 New moon. 7 9 A. M.
3 Thursday... 5 36 25 First q. 15 0 M.
4 Friday... 5 36 24 Full moon. 22 10 P. M.
5 Saturday... 5 36 23 Last q. 29 0 P. M.
6 Sunday... 5 36 22 New moon. 6 11 P. M.

MARINE LIST.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA—AUGUST 28

ARRIVED.

Sch. H. E. Lewis, Mann. North Carolina, shingles to S. Mott, U. & Co.

Sch. R. Direct, Beverage, New York, to J. C. Nevitt.

Sch. Golden Rule, Johnson, Washington, D. C., to F. & Co.

Sch. Octavia Ellen, Elliot, Philadelphia, coal to D. B. Smith.

Sch. W. Smith, Sprague, Staten Island, sail to order.

Sch. Minerva, Winslow, Fall River, to Borden Mining Co.

SAILED.

Brig Treadwell, Hester, Boston, coal by T. J. McElroy.

Sch. Mary J. Hoyt, Hamilton, Boston, coal by F. & Co.

Sch. Andromeda, Rowland, New York, coal by Borden Mining Co.

Sch. Francis H. Abbott, Smith, New York, coal by D. A. Love.

Sch. Alva, Greenwood, St. Johns, corn by Cazneau & Co.

MEMORANDA.

Brig Stephen Young, Perry, from this port, arrived at Washington 25th inst. Sch. George Lull, Lines, for Boston D. C., cleared at 10 a. m. same day.

Sch. Abigail Jennings, Kirby, for Washington, D. C., and River Queen, Lynch, for Richmond, D. C., at Albany 20th inst.

Sch. T. E. Hathaway, for this port, sailed from Fall River 24th inst.

Sch. J. Brogaard, Shutes, Mary Emma, Davis, and Commander-in-Chief, Martin, from this port, and Moses Van Name, Van Name, from Georgetown, D. C., arrived at New York 24th inst. The latter had over and main topmast and foremast head carried away, split sails, and received other damage.

Sch. Glass Banger, Hand, from Cape Ann, arrived at Washington, D. C., arrived at Holmes' Hole 25th inst. Ocean Ranger, Tibbetts, from Eastport, for this port, due 24th.

DRIED BLOOD AND WOOL MANURE.

Fully equal to the best Peruvian Guano, and at half the price. For many crops, especially Wheat and Rye, and also as a change in manures, it is better than guano. Potatoes raised with it have produced more abundantly than where Peruvian Guano was used, and they are now bringing one shilling more per basket in the New York market. Price \$30 per ton of 4000 lbs. in barrels of 200 lbs. each.

R. L. ALLEN, 189 and 191 Water-st., New York.

NEW GOODS.

The subscribers are now receiving their first supply of FALL GOODS, consisting in part of Carpets, Oil Cloths, Cassimere, Vestings, Sateen, Ladies' Cloths, Ladies' Dress Silks, Consolides, Robe a Laige, Lustres, Alpacaes, French Merinos, Calicoes, Flannels, Cottons, &c.

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[Culpeper Observer, Port Tobacco Times, and Fairfax News.]

VALLEY PRODUCE.

On hand, and tri weekly receiving, a variety of choice brands Family and Extra Flour. Also in store, and for sale, 200 bushels Timothy Seed, to which we invite the attention of the trade.

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FRESH HOPS.

Tamarind; Oil Silk; Davis' Pink Killer; Irish Oat Meal; Pearl Tapioca; Blue Mass; Aloes; Borax; Rill Bristone; Prepared Chalk; just received, and for sale by JAMES ENTWISLE & CO., Apothecary, No. 94, King-st.

LAMP OIL.

Wholesale and Retail, Lined Oil; Shell White Lard, (pure) Bi. Sierra White Lard; Window Glass, assorted sizes and fresh Turkey, received, and for sale by PEEL, STEVENS & CO., cor. of King and Alfred sts.

MRS. MCCORMICK

will resume the duties of her school, on Monday, the 6th of September. aug 30—eodw

JUST RECEIVED

per Express, a lot of Coats, a Spool Cotton, Silk and Elastic Belt, the Shetland Wool and Worsted Black Velvet Ribbons, and a few of other silent Adjustable Skeleton Skirts with Bustle attached. For sale by J. C. BERRY, 72 King-st.

A ZUMEE

The best article in use for making light Bread, Corn Cakes, Biscuits, &c., for sale by HENRY COOK & CO., Sarepta Hall.

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store and for sale, 200 sacks Ashton; 100 sacks Worthington, and 200 sacks Ground Alum Salt.

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